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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
0505-1294PUS1

Application No.  
10/827,293-Conf. #002629

Filing Date  
April 20, 2004

Examiner  
A. D. Barfield

Art Unit  
3636

Applicant(s): Susumu MICHISAKA et al.

Invention: MOTORCYCLE SEAT STRUCTURE

MS Amendment  
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	16	- 20 =		x	
Independent Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x 200.00	200.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					200.00

☒ Large Entity

☐ Small Entity

☐ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

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☒ A check in the amount of \$ 200.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 02-2448  
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

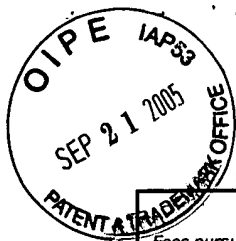
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		Application Number	10/827,293-Conf. #002629	
		Filing Date	April 20, 2004	
		First Named Inventor	Susumu MICHISAKA	
		Examiner Name	A. D. Barfield	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)		200.00	Art Unit	3636
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**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 02-2448 Deposit Account Name: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, **except for the filing fee**

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims** 16 - 20 =        x        =        **Fee Paid (\$)**

**Indep. Claims** 4 - 3 = 1 x 200.00 = 200.00 **Fee Paid (\$)**

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<u>      </u> - 100 = <u>      </u> / 50 <u>      </u> (round up to a whole number) x <u>      </u> = <u>      </u>				

**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge):        **Fees Paid (\$)**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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**September 21, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 21, 2005 (Paper No. 20050618), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Amendments to the Specification, Claim Set As Amended, Amendments to the Drawings, Remarks, and Two Sheets of Revised Formal Drawings (FIGS. 24(a), 24(b), 24(c), and 25).

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